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		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no.	341	395	310	313	381
Unemployment rate	%	9.2	10.6	8.3	8.7	10.4
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no.	1 034	1 046	1 119	1 103	-
Taxable individuals	no.	2 926	2 949	2 932	3 014	-
Taxable income	$m	92.5	95.9	99.8	108.5	-
Average taxable income	$	31 600	32 525	34 040	35 982	-
Net tax	$m	18.8	20.1	21.0	22.8	-
Average net tax	$	6 414	6 803	7 152	7 552	-
Average net tax ratio	%	20.3	20.9	21.0	21.0	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS * - year ended 30 June						
Wage and salary earners	no.	2 471	2 454	2 509	2 639	-
Wage and salary income	$m	66.8	69.7	75.0	82.8	-
Total income	$m	69.4	73.6	78.4	86.5	-
Average wage and salary income	$	27 024	28 413	29 900	31 370	-
Average total income	$	28 090	30 006	31 251	32 780	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX * - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	301	300	301	313	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	307	296	290	316	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	312	279	277	295	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	291	293	303	312	-
Males - 55 years and over	no.	176	203	216	229	-
Males - Total	no.	1 387	1 371	1 387	1 465	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	220	205	220	220	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	233	242	247	265	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	251	241	245	252	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	281	286	284	292	-
Females - 55 years and over	no.	100	109	125	144	-
Females - Total	no.	1 085	1 083	1 121	1 173	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no.	521	505	521	533	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no.	540	538	537	581	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no.	563	520	522	547	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no.	572	579	587	604	-
Persons - 55 years and over	no.	276	312	341	373	-
Persons - Total	no.	2 472	2 454	2 508	2 638	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION * - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no.	-	208	213	234	-
Professionals	no.	-	339	356	365	-
Associate Professionals	no.	-	157	159	179	-
Tradespersons and Related Workers	no.	-	267	264	266	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	-	48	50	48	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	352	377	383	-
Intermediate Production and Transport Workers	no.	-	144	148	166	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	-	186	176	204	-
Labourers and Related Workers	no.	-	665	624	668	-
Not Stated	no.	-	138	143	128	-
Total wage and salary earners	no.	-	2 504	2 510	2 641	-
PERSONS WITH OWN UNINCORPORATED BUSINESS * - year ended 30 June						
Males						
Males with own unincorporated business	no.	399	352	326	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	15.8	11.3	9.7	-	-
Total income	$m	14.4	11.5	10.8	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	$	39 687	32 168	29 846	-	-
Average total income	$	36 041	32 688	33 265	-	-
Females						
Females with own unincorporated business	no.	285	242	202	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	10.7	7.4	5.1	-	-
Total income	$m	9.3	7.6	6.2	-	-

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Average own unincorporated business income	$	37 424	30 484	25 466	-	-
Average total income	$	32 626	31 563	30 553	-	-
Persons						
Persons with own unincorporated business	no.	684	594	528	-	-
Own unincorporated business income	$m	26.5	18.7	14.9	-	-
Total income	$m	23.7	19.1	17.0	-	-
Average own unincorporated business income	$	38 744	31 482	28 170	-	-
Average total income	$	34 618	32 230	32 227	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESS ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of Businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	441	447	399	378
Employing businesses: 1 to 4 employees	no.	-	138	138	144	165
Employing businesses: 5 or more employees	no.	-	267	285	309	309
Total businesses	no.	-	846	870	852	852
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	72	48	54
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	45	63	36
Total business entries	no.	-	-	117	111	90
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing businesses	no.	-	-	81	90	69
Employing businesses	no.	-	-	3	12	36
Total business exits	no.	-	-	84	102	105
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no.	-	507	501	483	480
Mining	no.	-	0	0	0	3
Manufacturing	no.	-	9	6	6	3
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	-	3	3	3	3
Construction	no.	-	63	72	69	78
Wholesale trade	no.	-	24	27	30	24
Retail trade	no.	-	36	39	42	36
Accommodation, cafes and restaurants	no.	-	45	54	63	54
Transport and storage	no.	-	30	33	33	36
Communication services	no.	-	6	6	3	9
Finance and insurance	no.	-	15	24	24	24
Property and business services	no.	-	81	84	78	81
Education	no.	-	0	0	0	0
Health and community services	no.	-	3	3	3	3
Cultural and recreational services	no.	-	9	6	6	9
Personal and other services	no.	-	15	12	9	9
Total businesses	no.	-	846	870	852	852

* These data relate to persons for whom this source of income was their principal source of income for the relevant financial year

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		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June						
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	270	254	237	219	234
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	256	255	257	271	267
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	304	314	321	292	278
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	281	277	265	273	265
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	204	197	195	177	156
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	219	218	205	200	188
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	237	237	245	261	257
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	247	235	226	211	224
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	288	281	274	270	260
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	274	274	275	278	281
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	299	288	291	293	286
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	260	280	276	273	284
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	205	211	206	219	222
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	153	151	163	168	182
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	115	103	114	125	135
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	79	80	72	82	99
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	45	37	32	41	57
Males - 85 years and over	no.	20	18	17	21	38
Males - Total	no.	3 756	3 710	3 671	3 674	3 713
Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	236	234	234	223	213
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	255	251	253	256	241
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	246	252	241	239	261
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	247	236	235	229	223
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	162	158	167	169	168
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	204	206	188	184	174
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	213	217	221	221	223
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	236	222	223	232	227
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	269	264	253	242	230
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	251	256	264	259	281
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	246	247	233	244	240
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	221	227	231	234	239
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	169	164	174	187	189
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	127	136	133	126	124
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	101	102	104	106	119
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	92	87	84	84	82
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	58	62	68	67	72
Females - 85 years and over	no.	55	50	51	58	67
Females - Total	no.	3 388	3 371	3 357	3 360	3 373
Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	506	488	471	442	447
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	511	506	510	527	508
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	550	566	562	531	539
Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	528	513	500	502	488
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	366	355	362	346	324
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	423	424	393	384	362
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	450	454	466	482	480
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	483	457	449	443	451
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	557	545	527	512	490
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	525	530	539	537	562
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	545	535	524	537	526
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	481	507	507	507	523
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	374	375	380	406	411
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	280	287	296	294	306
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	216	205	218	231	254
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	171	167	156	166	181
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	103	99	100	108	129
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	75	68	68	79	105
Persons - Total	no.	7 144	7 081	7 028	7 034	7 086
POPULATION DENSITY - at 30 June						
Population density	persons/km^2	-	-	-	-	0.3
INDIGENOUS POPULATION - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population	%	-	-	-	-	9.5
OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006						
Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-	-	-	1.2
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-	-	-	2.3
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-	-	-	1.5
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-	-	-	0.2
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.2
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-	-	-	0.2

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Born in Americas	%	-	-	-	-	0.2
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-	-	-	0.1
Total born overseas	%	-	-	-	-	5.9
SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006						
Percentage of total population aged 15 years and over	%	-	-	-	-	3.4
LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-	-	-	0.5
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	0.9
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-	-	-	6.0
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-	-	-	4.6
Certificate	%	-	-	-	-	16.6
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	12.8
Total with qualifications	%	-	-	-	-	41.4
OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006						
Managers	%	-	-	-	-	24.6
Professionals	%	-	-	-	-	11.3
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-	-	-	13.3
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-	-	-	7.6
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-	-	-	9.7
Sales Workers	%	-	-	-	-	7.5
Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-	-	-	7.0
Labourers	%	-	-	-	-	16.8
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-	-	-	2.1
HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Lone person households	no.	-	-	-	-	584
Group households	no.	-	-	-	-	55
Family households	no.	-	-	-	-	1 827
Total households	no.	-	-	-	-	2 467
FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006						
Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	650
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	140
Couple families without children	no.	-	-	-	-	762
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-	-	-	183
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-	-	-	88
Other families	no.	-	-	-	-	28
Total families	no.	-	-	-	-	1 851
INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006						
Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	5 529
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-	-	-	822
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	3 740
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-	-	-	1 875
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006						
Major Cities	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Inner Regional	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Outer Regional	%	-	-	-	-	92.7
Remote	%	-	-	-	-	7.3
Very Remote	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006						
Major Urban	%	-	-	-	-	0.0
Other Urban	%	-	-	-	-	19.2
Bounded Locality	%	-	-	-	-	30.0
Rural Balance	%	-	-	-	-	50.7
UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006						
Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-	-	-	24.8
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	22.0
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	8.0
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-	-	-	1.3
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-	-	-	12.5
ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006						
Broadband connection	%	-	-	-	-	30.2
Dial-up connection	%	-	-	-	-	20.7
Other connection	%	-	-	-	-	0.4
Total internet connections	%	-	-	-	-	51.3

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BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December						
Births	no.	88	84	86	92	90
Total fertility rate	rate	2.2	2.1	2.1	2.2	2.3
Deaths	no.	49	52	39	33	52
Standardised death rate	rate	7.2	7.7	7.3	6.4	5.9
NUMBER OF RECORDED CRIMINAL INCIDENTS - year ended 31 December						
Homicide	no.	-	-	-	0	0
Assault - Domestic violence related	no.	-	-	-	82	69
Assault - Not domestic violence related	no.	-	-	-	73	61
Sexual offences	no.	-	-	-	39	19
Robbery - Without a weapon	no.	-	-	-	n.p.	n.p.
Robbery - With a firearm	no.	-	-	-	0	0
Robbery - With a weapon not a firearm	no.	-	-	-	0	n.p.
Break and enter - Dwelling	no.	-	-	-	79	115
Break and enter - Non-dwelling	no.	-	-	-	33	31
Motor vehicle theft	no.	-	-	-	48	30
Steal from motor vehicle	no.	-	-	-	51	29
Steal from retail store	no.	-	-	-	7	7
Steal from dwelling	no.	-	-	-	53	49
Steal from person	no.	-	-	-	n.p.	n.p.
Driving offences	no.	-	-	-	1 384	1 551
Fraud	no.	-	-	-	21	55
Malicious damage to property	no.	-	-	-	156	107
Drugs - Possession and/or use	no.	-	-	-	42	22
Drugs - Dealing, trafficking	no.	-	-	-	n.p.	3
APPREHENDED VIOLENCE ORDERS ISSUED - year ended 31 December						
Number		-	-	-	38	56
Domestic	no.	-	-	-	15	13
Personal	no.	-	-	-	53	69
Total	no.					
Rate per 100,000 population						
Domestic	rate	-	-	-	521.0	756.3
Personal	rate	-	-	-	205.7	175.6
Total	rate	-	-	-	726.6	931.8
DRIVERS LICENCE HOLDERS - year ended 30 June						
Number holding licence	no.	4 287	4 301	4 292	4 237	4 211
Proportion of population aged 16 years and over	%	77.8	77.3	76.5	74.4	76.6

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Table 3: Industry

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June						
Private sector houses	no.	30	53	48	59	35
Total dwelling units	no.	30	53	57	62	43
Value of total residential building	$m	5.3	9.6	12.0	14.8	9.8
Value of total non-residential building	$m	1.2	1.8	2.5	0.7	0.2
Value of total building	$m	6.6	11.5	14.5	15.5	10.0
NEW MOTOR VEHICLE SALES - year ended 30 June						
Passenger vehicles	no.	109	107	103	107	103
Other vehicles	no.	146	143	147	158	146
Total new motor vehicle sales	no.	255	250	250	265	250
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March						
Number by type of vehicle						
Passenger vehicles	no.	2 858	2 873	2 974	3 018	3 045
Campervans	no.	8	9	11	11	10
Light commercial vehicles	no.	1 389	1 415	1 469	1 474	1 475
Light rigid trucks	no.	24	20	21	23	24
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	127	131	130	130	127
Articulated trucks	no.	57	71	62	64	58
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	3	3	3	3	0
Buses	no.	38	35	33	37	35
Motorcycles	no.	108	105	100	116	141
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	4 610	4 662	4 802	4 875	4 917
Number per 1,000 population						
Passenger vehicles	no.	400	406	423	429	430
Campervans	no.	1	1	2	2	1
Light commercial vehicles	no.	194	200	209	210	208
Light rigid trucks	no.	3	3	3	3	3
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	18	19	18	18	18
Articulated trucks	no.	8	10	9	9	8
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	0	0	0	0	0
Buses	no.	5	5	5	5	5
Motorcycles	no.	15	15	14	16	20
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	645	658	683	693	694
Number by type of fuel						
Petrol - Leaded	no.	942	804	723	626	522
Petrol - Unleaded	no.	2 592	2 743	2 911	3 036	3 140
Diesel	no.	929	973	1 018	1 068	1 101
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	147	143	150	146	154
AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June						
Total area						
Area of holding	ha	-	-	-	-	2 583 176.9
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-	-	-	58 255.0
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-	-	-	319.0
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-	-	-	3 080.6
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-	-	-	3 086.4
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-	-	-	307.2
Total number						
Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-	-	-	338 992
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-	-	-	0
Meat cattle	no.	-	-	-	-	7 926
Pigs	no.	-	-	-	-	39

* Agricultural commodities data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS cat no. 7125.0

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Table 4: Environment/Energy

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LAND AREA						
Land area	km^2	-	-	-	-	26 268.6

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